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THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SHRIPRAKASH JAISWAL): (a) As per available information, some instances have come to notice where terrorists outfits have used Nepal and Bangladesh for infiltration of men and material into India to carry out their nefarious activities.

(b) to (d) The Govt, of India has conveyed its security concerns to Bangladesh and Nepal in the established bilateral fora. Records of discussions at these fora are not disclosed on account of secrecy and in the interests of national security.

Meeting of Co-ordination Centre on Naxalism

†2336. SHRI RAJ MOHINDER SINGH MAJITHA:
SHRI RAVI SHANKAR PRASAD:

Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that during 21st meeting of Co-ordination Centre on Naxalism, a decision was taken to stop the naxal violence;

(b) if so, the details of the decision taken;

(c) the States where arrangements for reforms in Police Stations, situated in naxalite violence affected areas have been made on the basis of these decisions; and

(d) the total amount spent on these reforms and the contribution of the Central Government therein?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HOME AFFAIRS (SHRI SHRIPRAKASH JAISWAL): (a) and (b) During the 21st meeting of Co-ordination Centre on Naxalism held on 30.8.2006, the States made detailed presentations on the naxal situation and the Action Plans under implementation to combat and control the naxalite menace. It was noted that in recent months, police action has improved and anti-naxalite operations have been intensified by the States to take on naxalites and their infrastructure. However, States were advised to further improve ground level policing by way of time-bound fortification of vulnerable police stations,

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filling up of vacancies in State Police, expeditious raising of IR Bns, earmarking of demining units and further streamlining of inter-State joint operation.

(c) and (d) The Central Government has been providing funds to the States under the Police Modernisation including for fortification and strengthening of weaponry for the police stations in the naxal affected areas. The details of funds spent by the naxalite affected States under this Scheme in the years 2004-05 and 2005-06 and the funds released (Central share) during 2006-07 are as under:

(Rupees in crores)

States	Amount spent		Amount released
	2004-05	2005-06	2006-07 (as on 15.11.06)
Andhra Pradesh	106.57	135.21	49.40
Bihar	60.33	53.16	33.87
Jharkhand	43.63	54.32	29.35
Orissa	29.87	54.32	20.58
Uttar Pradesh	70.45	42.20	80.87
West Bengal	118.33	118.37	17.33
Madhya Pradesh	46.27	46.77	29.71
Chhattisgarh	180.92	130.82	11.00
Maharashtra	46.67	47.71	52.98
TOTAL:	705.04	682.88	325.09

Naxalism in Chhattisgarh and Jharkhand

†2337. MS. MABEL REBELLO: Will the Minister of HOME AFFAIRS be pleased to state:

(a) how many people have been killed in Chhattisgarh and Jharkhand by naxalites during the last two years;

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